

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 20, 1909.

As PNEUMONIA is just now prevalent in Chicago, the health department bas in Chicago, the health department has ing practiced by the surety companies of the country. It is believed by the 'More persons die of the disease at this 'More persons die of the disease at this 'Freasury officials that such a measure season of the year than any other. Over- will be passed without delay, in view of heating is the big factor. Pneumonia is a disease attributable to overheating rather than to cold. At this season of force January 1. Federal employees the year the weather is generally mild forcish 700,000 bonds yearly, with but subject to sudden and pronounced penalties aggregating \$50,000,000. changes; our houses are warmer, but the people are still wearing their winter flauncis and heavy overcoats. The conditions make for overheating and sudden chilling. People go about with undergarments dampened with perspiration. They experience a sudden change of temperature, the body becomes chilled and as a result pneumonia frequently smaller national bank and as the result develops. To avoid pneumonia get the fresh air habit."

OF THE forty-six counties in Florida, there are only ten in which the sale of liquor is legal, but it is doubtful if there is a single county where liquor cannot be obtained in almost any quantity. The constitution gives to the people of each county the right to declare by a majority vote whether there shall be licensed saloons. That "prohibition does not prohibit" has been amply demonstrated in Florida as it has been in Maine where prohibition originated, so far as this country is concerned. The attempt to enforce prohibition has also proved a failure in the large cities of Alabams. The country districts find no serious trouble in bringing about in a general way the observance of the law, but in the cities enforcement of the law has become a farce.

RECENTLY the French government has been much disturbed by the number of German balloons that have crossed the French frontier, no fewer than six having landed in the castern department within a week. At Santeny, where one balloon came down, the aeronauts were arrested by order of the War Department, and in their possession were found a camera and a number of military maps. This caused great excitement, as it was suspected that German engineers were thus securing plans and photographs of the frontier defenses. It seems that another war between France and Germany must come sooner or later.

MR. TUCKER and Judge Mann, demperatic candidates for the gubernatorial nomination, met in joint debate at Boydion yesterday and entertained a large crowd. There is serious doubt as to the propriety of these debates as they are Senstor McCumber complained that within the party which in many in- committee has surrendered to the House stances are not healed before the elec-tion and which give the republicans provided that candidates for clerkships campaign ammunition. Anyway, such should be examined in states where they debate was held yesterday and from a live and that they should have a bona casual reading of the speeches Judge fide residence of one year in those Mann came out second best.

In the socialist congress at St. Etlenne, France, the moderate counsels at all. The latter are the children of of M. Jaures have been rejected, and office-holders who have served long in the more radical leader, Guesde, has been this city. Mr. Gallinger said that the given full reign. Although he favors continuing the movement through the than one member of a family should ballot box for the present his ultimate receive an appointment. aim he said to be insurrection. He strongly orges anti-military propaganda wite, two children, and three or four especially among teachers who should lead recruits to hate the army. Such are two and sometimes three members of men if given an inch will take a ell the same families employed. and the best way to treat them is to nip them in the bud.

MR. Aldrich in opposing an income to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service law being tax amendment to the general civil service provision to the general civil service on the government. But the democrats who were Senate conferees, spoke along want the "burlen" placed upon those the same lines. who are best able to bear it and taken off the necessaries of life. It is needless the civil service law would be amended all the time. to say that every man in the country is ten years. striving to secure such an income as will place him in a position to come under the provisions of the proposed in-

# From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, April 20. The meeting of the Senste finance committee today, which was attended by both the majority and minority mem-bers, was for the consideration of the Declaration of Independence was signed, administrative features of the tariff bill, and was given by Continental Chapter be the final court of appeals in all cus- speaker's chair in the first Congress aftoms cases except such as involve quester the declaration was signed. Another

and making them dutiable at 25 per one of the delegates was present. The cout ad valorem. ceut ad valorem.

The armored cruisers North Carolina much in evidence also. marshall, of the North Osrolins. Con-ditions at that point are reported to be Five social entertainments were ditions at that point are reported to be

very alarming.

Treasury officials charge that there is trust in surety companies and a plan fittingly observed at the grand reception has been perfected by United States in Continental Hall last evening.

Treasurer Treat and others looking to Taking advantage of the opportunity. freasurer Treat and others looking to Taking advantage of the opportunity the government organizing a bonding to attend the first formal function in

fund of its own. A bill is being pre-pared and will be sent to Chairman ters visited the building, and after bepared and will be sent to Chairman ters visited the building, and after be-ling presented to Mrs. Donald McLean, which will charge that extortion is bethe amendment just incorporated in the census bill directing superintendents not to pay more for bonds than the rate in

An invitation was received by the Senate today from the commissioners of the District of Columbia to attend the ceremonies in the rotunds of the Capiol, incident to the removal of the remains of Maj. L'Enfant from Maryland to Arlington Cemetery. Vice President Sherman and Ambassador Jusserand will make addresses.

In response to appeals from many of endorsement of leading bankers broughout the country, Comptroller of the Currency Murray made an announcement that the national bank examiner for any district would be directed to cooperate with the clearing houses in that district upon the receipt by the compcroller of such a request from all the members in such clearing houses or by a pecial committee appointed by the clear-ng house to make such request.

F. N. Holmes has been appointed postmaster at Goldvein, Fauquier county; J. H. Smith at Pine View, Fauquier county and Ashton Armstrong at Ruby, Stafford county Virginia.

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Senator Ren Tillman, of South Carolina, made his first visit to the White House today. He walked to the office of President Taft and was in the executive office for about 15 minutes. He came out amiling broadly. I shought I really had to pay my respect, "asid Senator Tillman, "and I'm glad I did it." "How long has it been, Senator, since you were here before." Tillman was asked "Why, I never called before at all. This is my first visit to the White House, and I thought I could wait until a gentleman got here." I came up incidentally to see if the office-stekers had fried any fat out of the president, and I discovered that they hadn't got a pound."

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cieneral Allen, chief of the Signal Corps of the army, will make another attempt to secure from Congress an appropriation of \$500,000, in the preliminary budget for the war department, for the est-blishment of the nucleus of an aerial division. If he is successful, the amount will be devoted to the purchase of dirigibles and the cretion of plants necessary for their maintenance.

Despatches from Ambassadar Leishman indicate that foreigners are in no immediate danger in the Turkish dominion. He says that although Americans, like all other foreigners, are in more or less danger owing to the peculiar conditions that prevail through the principle of the property of the peculiar conditions that prevail through a merical foreigners, are in more or less danger owing to the peculiar conditions that prevail through a rivail of the English, French and Italien warships has done much to quiet the situation. ships has done much to quiet the situation Marines from these vessels have been landed to guard the legations.

# Sixty-first Congress.

Washington, April 20. SENATE.

Civil service took the right of way wer the tariff when the Senate opened oday. It was in the form of the report of the conference committee on the bi lated to bring about dissentions the Senste members of the conference on the civil service provision of the bill states. This was to bar out residents of Washington, some of whom claim as their places of residence states that they have not seen for 25 years or not conference committee had stricken from the bill his amendment that not more

> "I knew of a case in which a husband, nephews and nieces were in the government service. In all departments there

Mr. McCumber suggested that it was going to be a city of efficial families.

Mr. LaFollette said that the House conferees objected to an amendment surrender. Senators Hale and Bailey,

HOUSE.

The House was not in session today having adjourned on Monday until

D. A. R. The afternoon session of the D. A. R. Oppress in Washington yesterday was given over principally to receiving gifts for the Continental Hall. One of them particularly with reference to the pro-posed customs court. This court is to Chaper gave a chair modeled after the tions of constitutionality. There was a gift was the Virginia state gravel. It general approval by democrats as well as republicans of the committee of the suggestion for the creation of such a rested his arm; a piece of magnolia from as republicans of the committee of the suggestion for the creation of such a court and the principal question discussed was as to whether it should be composed of five or three members. The leaning of the committee was towards the smaller court. There were some changes of phraecology suggested and adopted, but the final consideration of the subject went over until the next meeting.

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and Montana have been ordered to pro-ceed to Alexandretta, Turkey, with all daughters of the American Revolution has possible dispatch with orders to report ever participated in so many brilliant to the American consul for the protec- social functions as a body in Washingtion of American interests. The squad- ton in a single day, as those held in

> crowded into the afternoon and the climax to the day's entertainment was

committee, accompanied by a letter enjoyed the evening in inspecting the Eclipsing all previous receptions of the last week in brillancy, the affair was

noted for the number of costly gowns and valuable trinkets worn by the descendants of the American forefathers.
Washington, D. C., April 20.—Politics began with a vengeance when the

Mrs. Sherman is hard at work for Mrs. Story for president general and Mrs. Scott from Illinois, the administration

candidate, is working quietly among the

delegates.
The daughters busied themselves in formal convention today by listening to the report of their officers. After the programme committee had announced the order of business for the week, the national officers rendered their reports. The growth of the order and its financial strength were exemplified in every report, which related addition of number and capital in the various depart-

ments. The Memorial Hall presented a picture not unsimilar to the House of Representatives in session, and political gossip flew thick and fast.

The followers of Mrs. Story exploded the perenniel campaign bomb today when they announced that Mrs. Charles H. Masury, state regent of Massachu-setts, had consented to make the nominating address for Mrs. Story Thursday sfternoon. Mrs. Masury is known as one of the best craters in the organization and it had been confidently expected by the McLean-Scott forces that she would second Mrs. Scott's nomination.

Late this afternoon, as the roll of states is called, the delegates will respond by singing the state rongs. Various state meetings will then be held.

# News of the Day.

The report that Emperor William had wallowed a fishbone turns out to have

According to an announcement made og Chief Justice Faller yesterday the Supreme Court will adjourn for the present term on May 31.

Havana, Kas., with dynamite and stealhandcar under a heavy fire from awakened residents.

John Wallace, of Brooklyn, was shot and killed by a daughter last night. When asked why she had shot her father the girl said it was because of the

Court of Appeals in the appeal of Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Gampers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison from jail sentences imposed on them by Justice Wright for alleged contempt of court,

Victor Durgin, of Salem, Mass., au-Mrs. Ernest Norton, wife of Ernest Noron, cashler of the Merchants' National Bank of Boston, and the infant son of shore a squall broke suddenly and overturned the canoe.

After ten years of persistent effort, he believes the day can be made 24 insurance commissioner, hours long, and he has applied for patents. He has made convex and concrease fees of commission cave lenses of enormous sizes, which he because he thought they did not get the lenses so focussed as to let the light He had voted for the bill regulating in concentrated rays pass from one to drinking on trains because it was legis-Mr. Heyburn expressed the hope that to the other, he expects to give daylight tion saked for by the Virginia Associa-

TORTURED BY THIEVES.

Alleged to have outdone Shylock in having actually cut portions of flesh from the breast of a man who refused them money, Salvator Roberto and Nicolo Digliotto were held yesterday without bail at Braddock, a suburb of Pittsburg, Pa. With his wounds band-seed, but week from the loss of blood.

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Besides the two candidates for governments and never devoted five minutes of his over to the sciency for the rotection of the republicans, erects altars to the saintly girl who once saved France, and our bishops pray for her intercession to cause another miracle which shall declive and restore the father land."

The revolutionary branch of the Federation of Labor has issued a manifesto appealing to all workmen and govern-settled purpose to smess James A. Patten's aged, but weak from the loss of blood, called an interpreter and was told the gressman Lessiter were present, story, which resulted in the arrest of the two men. Before a justice of the peace Goglictic repeated his story, saying that he had received several Black Hand letters demanding money, but had ignored them. He was sroused from sleep to find the two accused men standing over him. He said they demanded \$300, and that when he refused one of Oliver Goldsmith's 'Deserted Village

# Virginia News.

Mahlon H. Payne died Sunday at his

Fauquier county.

John A. Vansickler, tormerly of Loudous county, died at the home of his daughter, Miss Laura Vansickler, at Herndon, Saturday. He was seventy-cation with the Turkish capital is practically on the fact that communi-

that section are alarmed. Appeals have been made to the county constabulary. James H. Jones of Lincoln died San-

day, aged eighty-five years. Two daughters, Miss Lucy Jones and Mrs. Demory of Burkes, and two sons, Jones Jones of Ohio and Dr. Archer Jones of Front Royal, survive him. After many months of suffering, John

later being cashier and business manager

As a result of having too ardently embraced the young lady, whom he hoped to make his wife, Fred M. Herman, solicitor for a magazine, is today dead in Cincinnati, having being strick en with paralysis last Wednesday just as he threw his around her neck.

Robert McNeal, town sergeaut of Radford, after capturing Loulie Gwynn, the white woman who is accused of stealing \$500 in valuables from the home of the Boshers, in Richmond city, refused to go to that city without a summons, and has refused to deliver the stolen goods withrefused to deliver the stolen goods without a guarantee of the reward.

The charred bodies of William and Tom Stewart were found early yesterday morning beneath the burned rains of their home, near Buckingham Courthouse, Va., yesterday afternoon. The coroner returned a verdict of murder and robbery or attempted robbery. Both men were prominent in the community, and were bachelors. Bloodhounds were sent for and every man in the com-munity who heard the story went hunting for the murderers or traces of them. If the murderers are caught trouble is expected as the dead brothers were much respected.

# TUCKER AND MANN.

The joint debate at Boydton, yesterday, between Judge Maon and Mr. the Bosphorus, the sultan's escape by Harry St. George Tucker, aspirants for water is impossible, the gubernatorial nomination, was a warm one.

Mr. Tucker attacked the legislative record of Judge Mann in a manner that was startling. He went after Judge Mann for telling the Anti-Salcon League at Norfolk in February that he was for local option and for saying now that he would vote for state-wide prohibition if the opportunity were offered him. Mr. After weeking the Havana Bank, at Incher charged that Judge Mann was Iavana, Kas., with dynamite and stealing \$2,300, two robbers escaped on a Railway, therefore had fought and voted against the employers' liability bill, which would permit the widow of a rail-Sales of 2,000 bushels of No. 2 red road man killed in the line of duty to western wheat were made on the floor recover damages for his death; attacked of the Baltimore Chamber of Commerce him for voting against the bill to repeal yesterday at \$1.46 a bushel. This is the law which allows damages amount-the highest price paid in this market for ing to but \$10,000 to be awarded in the troduced in the legislature of 1900 to charter the Virginia Telephone und Telegraph Company, which, he said, had it not been killed through the efforts of Carter Glass, would have swallowed.

A feature of the trading is heavy buying for continental secounts. This buying is cosmopolitan in its character, Americans and British favorities all being in demand. the actual cash article since the Joseph case of men killed by a railroad in Leiter deal of 10 years ago.

John Wallace, of Brooklyn, was shot troduced in the legislature of 1900 to way he had treated his children and that he was responsible for the death of a brother through cruelty. The police think she is insane.

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The Senate which made it a misdemeanor to cross a railroad track, except at possible injuries to British interests in further presention of a deputation of French pilgrims, thanked the pilgrims for their further are a reception of a deputation of french pilgrims, thanked the pilgrims than ners and for his failure to support an amendment to the Mann Byrd bill tax- Attacks on Christians Renewed. ing dining cars in which liquor is sold.

Judge Mann replied to most of the charges. He criticised Mr. Tucker for his bringing into his speech so much matter to which no reference was made in his first speech. Judge Mann said he had no recollection of having introduced the railroad bill Mr. Tucker althe latter, were drowned by the capsiz-ing of a canoe on Eddleton pond, in Danvers, yesterday evening. Mr. Nor-trains by persons not employes of railton was rescued. The party started to cross the pond in the canoe, but when they were about twenty-five yards from banks, saying that the judge favored the principle of back examination, but was opposed to the bill on the ground that it provided for only two examiners and placed their control under the Corpora-Davin R. Nicely, of Petersburg, Ind., placed their control under the Corpora-has perfected an arrangement by which tion Commission instead of under the

Judge Mann said he had voted to increase fees of commissioners and sheriffs tion of Railway Conductors

Judge Mann declared that Mr. Tucker had never devoted five minutes of his

Besides the two candidates for govsged, but weak from the loss of blood, Joseph Gugliotto appeared at a Bad-dock bank, with two foreigners, and licutenant-governor; Judge Williams, asked to draw out \$300. The teller candidate for attorney-general, and Con-

Turkish Prince Assassinated.

Smyras, April 20 -- Kopasis Effeadi, a Turkish prince of Samos, has been assassinated, according to a dispatch received here tods v. CHANGING SENTIMENT.

# Today's Telegraphic News

Conditions in Turkey. London, April 20.—Rumors that Sul-tan Abdul Hamid has abdicated his year of his age and a native of Orlean, throne, and has either fled, or is prepar-

> A dispatch today, by way of Philip-polis says that at last night's meeting of the ministers the helplesaness of the situation was conceded, and that a procla-

> mation was formally drawn up, to the terms of which the sultan agreed. According to these terms, the sultan will abdicate if he is guaranteed personal safety and his brother Rechad is chosen

> as his successor.
> Constantinople, via Philippopolis, way of future concessions if it will come to his rescue. Grand Vizier Tewfik Pasha is report-

> ferring at the Yildiz Kiosk with the sultan regarding the city's surrender. The abdiction of the sultan is momentarily expected. Representatives of the Young Turks are said to be at the palace awaiting the sultan's decision. a Salonika, April 20.—In the hope of avoiding a battle in the streets of Con-

> until their numbers are incr ased to such proportions as to be overwhelming and thus force the sultan and his few followers to see the futility of opposition.
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> Forty thousand Young Turks soldiers are now encamped within a few hours march of the city, and at the present rate of additions to their ranks there will be an stacking army of 80,000

within 48 hours. The belief is general here that the sultan will abdicate today. Every hour's delay lessens his chances for elemency at the bands of the Young Turks.

sailors guard every avenue of escape.
The imperial yacht has been put in readiness, but as the Young Turks have war vessels stationed at both ends of A D. Brockett, chairman; J. Y. Wil-

Leaders of the Young Turks declare day was one from R. Harris & Co., of that their unwillingness to shed blood unnecessarily does not mean that the leaders of the recent revolt will be pardoned. They have a long list of those who are responsible for the mutiny and every one of them will be put to death as soon as the city is taken. The death seal has been placed on so many that the execution of the Young Turks' plans

will practically amount to a massacre. London, April 20.-That London financiers expect the Turkish crisis to be settled within Turkey and do not expect that foreign intervention will be necessary is shown by the tone of the stock market. Last week the market was very nervous and all stocks suffered, but losses have been more than made up and the tone on the exchange today is one of remarkable firmness.

Constantinople, April 20.-Consular messages just received from Adana say that the Moslem attacks upon the Christians have been renewed in Marash, in the province of Aleppo, and that the aituation there is extremely grave. Twenty Christians were killed in Ma-

rash Sunday, but today's rioting is re-ported as much more severe. Renewed outrages are also occurring in Alexandret's and in Bedjin, in the northern part of Adana province, where there is an unusually large Armenian population. The Armenians are putting up a strong resistance. Throughout the entire province of Adaus, it is estimated that 5,000 people have been slain since the beginning of the trouble. The British cruiser Diana is in the vicinity of Alexandretts, and the people are relying on it for protection.

# Sarah Koten Released.

New York, April 20.—Sarah Koten, the young Jewish who shot and killed Dr. Samuel Auspitz, whom she accused of drugging and betraying her, and who in the first degree, went out of the criminal branch of the Supreme Court a movement which will a stignment of a movement which will be supremed to the suprem free woman this afternoon. Justice public. The Gaulois says: Blanchard, who had investigated the "At the moment when the case thoroughly, suspended sentence on the young woman, and she was turned over to the society for the Protection of Jewish Women, who took her at once to republicans, erects alters to the saintly

Wheat,
Chicago, April 20.—What is apparently a settled purpose to smash James A. Patten's so called 'wheat corner' was made in the pit shortly after the opening today, when enormous quantities of May wheat were dumped on the market and prices crumbled rapidly. May Wheat went down to 1.25 the lowest price since the sensational advance two weeks ago, and more than three cents below the high figure of the crop.

In a wild drive just after 12.30, this aftermoon, the bears threw the pit into an uproarwhen they forced another break in May and July wheat of two cents, sending the price of May down to 123 and of July to 113. This is five and one half cents under the crop record for May and 4½ under for July.

In the next fifteen minutes Patten wave desparate support to the market and held May in check, but could not influence July. May had r-covered to 1.24 at one o'clock and July slumped still further to 1,13. September went to 1.05 3-8.

# Jeffries Breaks His Silence.

close of his performance at the A perican Music Hall he will announce to the New York public that he will meet the winner of the Stanley Ketchell-Jack Johnson fight next October for the champloaship of the world.

THE ANNIVERSARY CELEBRA-TION.

of the executive committee having in him he met the same fate, Royster then the charge the arrangements for the celebration of the 120th anniversary of the younger Lacy, which was exposed after inauguration of George Washington as he fell, and started on his career.

President of the United States, together Dr. McDonough saw him coming and

Among other things this report mentioned the acceptance of invitations by President Taft, the vice-president, After many months of sullering, some Samper, aged 61 years, for a number of years with the old Richmond Dispatch, years with the old Richmond Dispatch, turned to Germany in his hour of trouble, and is asking assistance from the ginis; that seven y-four of the engraved special invitations have been sent to delegates to the convention of the Daughters of the Revolution gathered by this morning for their second day's B. Holt.

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The Bichmond Lodge of the Bevolution gathered by the Bevo vicinity to participate in the parade. The secretary of the navy has ordered the marines with the Marine Band, and sailors of the U. S. Steamer Dolphin ed to have resigned and to be now conof Columbia has ordered one regiment, 720 cadets, to participate in the parade. The Corcoran Carlets have accepted the invitation, and the other commands of the District National Guard have the invitation under favorable consideration. The Richmond Blues with their band Barryville last spring. He secured the and the Richmond Howlivers will be to appointment after a bitter fight with the line. The Chamber of Commerce has

> will prove of commercial value
> A delegation from the executive committee visited Shooter's Hill yesterday for the purpose of inspecting the roads President Taft will pass over in coming

the surrounding country, and it is ex-pected that in this way the celebration

to the park. The Washington Monument Association met this morning at the Ohamber of Commerce, and through resolution authorized the executive committee to The escape of the sultan by flight is of the Old Homo-coming Week and cele-deemed impossible, as soldiers and deemed impossible, as soldiers and bration of the 120th inauguration of the 120th inaugur President George Washington, The efficers of the executive committee are: liams, scoretary; G. L. Boothe, treasurer. Among the contributions received to-

> Washington, \$5,00. TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES. A fire which started in a saw mill.

five miles south of Manassas, yesterday, burned over 1,500 acres of land, doing much damage. The Hamburg-American liner Amweiks, en route from New York to Ham-burg went ashore near the mouth of the

Elbe today, but was floated at high tide undamaged. The body of a well-dressed man ap parently about 35 years old, was found in the Schnylktll river at Philadelphia

ugly stab wound in the heart. Little excitement today follows the lynching of the four prominent cattle men held at Ada, Okia., for the alleged murder of Sheriff Bobbitt. Public indignation for the lynchers is not strong Governor Haskell has declared his in tention to make a thorough investigation

POPE RECEIVES PILGRIMS. The pope, responding vesterday to an address by the bishop of Orleans at the the welfare of their country, as it was religion that guaranteed order and properity in society, and the interests of both religion and society were insepar-

The pontiff denied vigorously that the church desired the faithful to become enemies of their country. On the contrary, he said that love of country was atrooger when united with devotion to the church. Continuing the pope said:

"To politicas who declare war or the church, to sectarians who do not cease to caluminate with a ba'red worth; of hell. to the false paledine of science who try to render her odious by sophism and the accusations that she is an enemy of liberty, civilization and intellectual progress, I reply boildy that the Catholic Oburch is the mistress of souls, the queen of hearts and the dominator of the world because she is the wife Christ. The

depository of truth, she only can bring back the people of veneration and love." In conclusion, the pope felicitated the French Catholics who had enrolled themselves under the banner of Joan of Arc. Many royalists and clerical news-papers to Faris profess to believe that

"At the moment when the destinles of France are threatened, the Church of

appealing to all workmen and govern-ment employes to join in every form of violence to destroy existing seciety and rain. create a new order of things "exempt from all authority."

# A MURDEROUS NEGRO,

Everett Royster, a Richmond, negro, crazed by cocaine, yesterday afternoon felled James B. Lacy and his son Charles in the former's wood and oral yard, fired three shots at Dr. James P. McDopough, after being wounded by the, latter, armed with a shotgun jumped into a victoria and unless the injury is very severe, and at the point of a pistol compelled the driver to race madly down Broad Price 25 cents. For sale by Richard street in an effort to escape to the Gibson and W. F. Creighton & Co. country. He was fi ally thrown to the ground by the vehicle crashing into New York, April 20.—Jeffries has trolley pole, and was only subdued after broken his long silence. Tonight at the a desperate battle with Policeman Carter, whom he attempted to kill, and by Policeman Perkinson, felling him with his night stick, which was broken by the

> Royster entered the woodyard and began praying and exhorting. When or-

dered out by the Lucys he etruck younger down with a stick of There was another meeting last night | wood, and when the elder grabbed for

procured his shotgun and emptied a load dauguier, Miss Laura Vansickier, at Herodon, Saturday. He was seventynine years of age.

Three fires, all of them evidently of incendiary origin, occurred at Port Norfolk Sunday night, and the residents of that section are alarmed. Appeals have the company of the section are alarmed. Appeals have the company of the fact that communication munication with the Turkish capital is practically cut off except through the lines of the Sporopriations for the various folk Sunday night, and the residents of the delay.

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A. D. Brockett, chairman executive struck a trolley pole at a corner of the committee, reported to W. B. Smoot, most fashionable shopping district, where

president, the work accomplished during the taille occurred.

Mr. Smoot's absence from the city.

Both of the Lacys Both of the Lacys are seriously injured but will recover. Policeman Carler was badly ir jured by being struck several times by the negro, and Garland H. Olark, a merchant, who went to the assistance of the policeman, was also wounded by a blow from the negro.

## ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Berryville was shocked and stunred yesterday by the attempted suicide of J. Robinson Elder, postmaster of the town and a former Washingtonian, Shortly after 11 o'clock, after Elder had handled to report at Alexandria on the 30.h. the morning mails, he went to his home, The board of education of the District and while seated in a chair he shot himself near the heart. The wound is believed to be fatal, and last night his condition was critical. Ill-health is believed to be the cause of Postmaster Elder's rash act. Elder went to Berryville after being appointed postmaster at old-line republicans of the state. Elder issued invitations to all of the trade in the surrounding country, and it is expected that in this way the celebration Clarke, of the old Winchester Corporation Court, and one of the belles of that

> With the ice pack grounded at the mouth of the Nisgara river and big fices coming down from Lake Erie, it seems as if nothing can save what is left of shipping and rail traffic between Nisgara and Lewiston.

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# **King and Pitt Streets**

Yesterday's Baseball Results. The following is the results of yesterday's league games :

American Lesgue—Boston 8, Wash-logton 4: New York 4, Philadelphia 2; St. Louis-Chicsgo rain; Detroit-Cleveland

National League—Beston 3, Brook-lyn 2; Beston 0, Brooklyn 5; Philadel-phia 3, New York 2; Cincionati 3, St. Louis 2; Chicago-Pittsburg rain.

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